

# MEXICAN CRISIS AT HAND; POPE ASKS PEOPLE TO PRAY

*Revolution Beyond Government's Control*

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 8. In obedience to a papal decree there will begin tonight at midnight in every Catholic church

That the revolution in Mexico has resulted in conditions beyond control of the government appears to be indicated not only by the reports of the rebel operations, but by the action of the secretary of the interior, Rafael Hernandez. The secretary recently summoned Mgr. Boggiani and appealed to him to use the power of the church to assist in restoring order.

Secretary Hernandez also has admitted that the army is not nearly large enough to give protection to haciendas and small towns. In reply to requests from these quarters, he has sent the following note:

"The government is making almost unheeded efforts to give protection, but to accede to all demands would be tantamount to inviting the bandits to enter the country."

Ship in Ammunition.

The state of affairs at the port of Pinar del Rio is very serious. Ammunition is being hoarded by the army, and the government is not prepared to let the bandits in upon these supplies which the people are entitled to.

A plan has been outlined by the chambers of commerce and other similar organizations throughout the country to appropriate money to maintain bodies of volunteers which the government will equip with rifles and uniforms. It is understood that the government would expect those paying these volunteers to give a guarantee that the arms and ammunition furnished will not fall into the hands of the enemy.

**Rebel Losses Heavy.**

According to official reports, the rebels in a series of attacks during the last three days around Tamasopo, in the state of Mexico, lost 128 killed. The figure is not given and other sources in other regions are reported. According to unofficial reports, however, the rebels are winning many successes and there is no doubt

most part are left in the towns, while highway are at the mercy of the rebels. Residents of Puebla say it is not safe to ride outside the city limits.

While it is not so far that Mexicans and foreigners are among those nations are paying the rebels, who ethically for immunity it is not always a given.

**Severed Near- Presidents.**

A report that the El Paso, Texas has

that they are gaining ground in the north and loose region of the state of Guerrero, while they are fully holding their own in other regions.

There is less disposition in official circles to little the movement in the named Uruca Magon for president has brought from Magon the statement that it was "unauthorized." It is not believed he will take any part in the opposition to the government, although neither ad Emilio Vasquez Gomez for

north where the peasants of Orissa are still showing more evidence of concerted action. Chhetri Chatterjee and Indro Munshi are practically in control of the situation.

**FOMOUS BRITISH LORD  
JOINS SOCIALIST PARTY**

General Province who many of the zamindars there proclaimed for the president, has now resigned that post and taken the trouble to accept the honor conferred upon him.

**"VICTORY" RECEPTION TO**

**BE GIVEN MRS. WILSON**

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Fabian society, an organization whose aim is to propagate Socialism here among the middle and upper classes, has added to its membership roll the name of Earl Russell, the first member of the house of lords to become a Socialist.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Combination of the preliminary arrangements for a national convention and "Socialist" which will be rendered to the Women

George Bernard Shaw is prominent. Edgar Allan Poe, Lewis Carroll, and much more, and the left-left operation, but has now withdrawn from it.

Bert Russell explains the step he has taken by saying he is in general agreement with the Socialist idea of placing the control of industries and the means of production in the hands of the community, and he attributes the fundamental error in the construction of the book to Russell's, the great grandson

of a Democratic President, Woodrow Wilson, who, he says, "With Saturday, December 12, 1914, Woodrow's starts," was announced, "Among the women of progressive thought have accepted husbands to be classed of 'honor men' Mrs. Andrews Cleveland, Mrs. Agnes E. Stevenson, Mrs. J. D. McKim, Mrs. William Stead, Mrs. Josephine Butler, Mrs. Frances B. Brewster, Mrs. Mary, Susan, & Mrs. William (1914).

of the duke of Bedford, and grandson of Lord John Russell, who was prime minister for several years. . . .

## STIMSON OPPOSED TO PHILIPPINE FREEDOM

## Condemns Anti-Canteen Measure as Breeder of Evil Habits; Would Free Porto Ricans

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Unsparring condemnation of those who would find "misplaced" sentimentality in a "lazy self-interest" rather than the "slipping into the world" in the state of helplessness and helplessness they had acquired the full benefits of American civilization, is a strong feature in the annual report of Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson. Many other subjects of interest are treated in the report such as the relations of the national guard to the army, the improvement in the army tactical methods, the inadequacy of

The present reserve law, the Army needs of citizenship for the future. Riehn, the conservation of the national water powers in navigable streams and the advisability of upholding the Panama canal tolls. It was in comparison with the American coastwise shipping leaving the waterway.

**Army Increased.**

Meeting first with private military subjects, the secretary states the strength of the regular army at the beginning of the present fiscal year at \$2,100, an increase during the year of \$2,100 officers and 12,500 enlisted men. He

the of the mobile army posts, where he found the military reservations adjusted by divers and ill-effects of the civil character. These conditions he believes to be the ultimate cause, which make the present of our army in this respect "almost" less than that of the army of any civilized nation."

**Shorten Army Service.**

Touching the army reserve matters which congress has made a start in the present appropriation bill the secretary said that the most serious defect in the plan is that it creates too many a period of service with the

ages the spirit of the personnel of the army continues to improve, attributable not only to the work of the service schools and the general staff but to

CHANGES IN ORGANIZATION AND METHODS (Continued on Page Two.)





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Panama Trip--too Busy**

DENVER, Dec. 5.—The best of Denver's sleuths this morning identified the body of the 70 year old suicide who shot himself in a rooming house yesterday, as that of Thomas Holloman, an old member of the police force. This afternoon Thomas Holloman walked into police headquarters and pleaded that his body was the one which is lying in the morgue, much to astonishment of the detective force. The man, who committed suicide, claimed that Thomas Holloman's

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Agriculture—Samuel Moya.  
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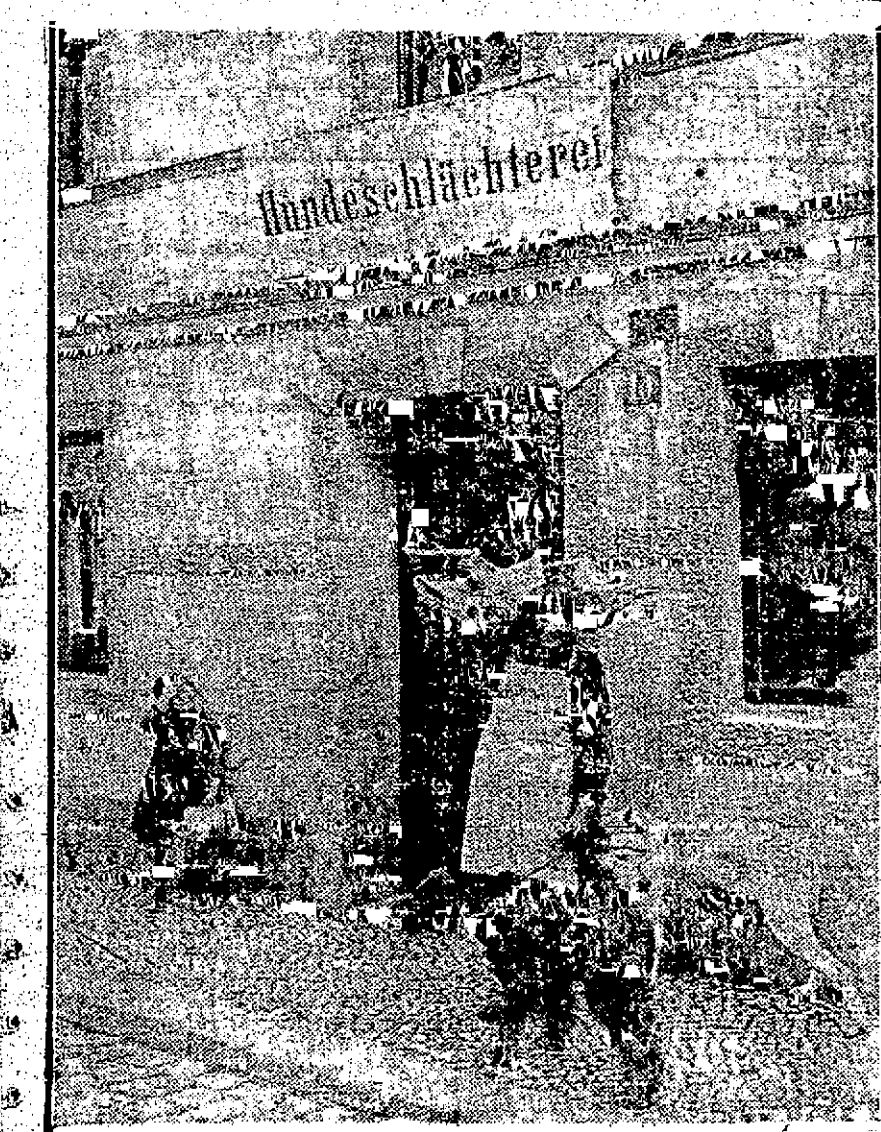
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## IN COMMUNICATION TO CIVIC LEAGUE, MAYOR EXPLAINS CAUSES REDUCTION IN BUDGET

In response to a request from the Civic League, Mayor A. J. H. has issued the following communication explaining the causes of the reduction in the budget for 1913 and stating the reasons for the reduction in the budget for 1913.

**Mayor's Letter.**  
The Civic League of the City of Colorado Springs, Colo.

Ladies: In response to your request for information regarding the reduction in the budget for 1913, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th inst. and to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. The reduction in the budget for 1913 is the result of a number of factors, including the increase in the cost of living, the increase in the cost of labor, and the increase in the cost of materials. The reduction in the budget for 1913 is the result of a number of factors, including the increase in the cost of living, the increase in the cost of labor, and the increase in the cost of materials.

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## A "COMPETITIVE" TARIFF

PROGRESSIVES who feared that, once in office, the Democrats would endeavor to appropriate as their own the Progressive planks they denounced during the recent campaign unquestionably had reason for their fear. The tariff views of President-elect Wilson seem to have undergone a very decided change towards the Progressive position since the election.

In an article in the North American Review in October, 1909, which he elaborated fully during the campaign, Mr. Wilson was flat-footedly for the elimination of protection. "Only those undertakings," he wrote, "should be given the protection of high duties on imports which are manifestly suited to the country and as yet undeveloped or only imperfectly developed. From all the rest protection should be withdrawn, the object of the government being not to support its citizens in business, but to promote the full energy and development of the country."

There is no suggestion in this statement that protection might be necessary to equalize the cost of production in the United States and abroad, due to the difference in the cost of labor. Yet since election Mr. Wilson has advanced, and Speaker Clark has gladly accepted a plan for what they designate as a "competitive tariff." They explain this as meaning a tariff sufficiently high to protect the wages of American workmen, but not high enough to permit the manufacturer, hiding behind it, protected from foreign competition, to exact a non-competitive, monopoly price from the American consumer.

In his "Confession of Faith" at the Chicago convention of the Progressive party Theodore Roosevelt said: "Wherever nowadays an industry is to be protected it should be on the theory that such protection will serve to keep up the wages and the standard of living of the wage-worker in that industry with full regard for the interest of the consumer. To accomplish this the tariff to be levied should be nearly as is scientifically possible approximate the differential between the cost of production at home and abroad. This differential is chiefly, if not wholly, in labor cost. No duty should be permitted to stand as regards any industry unless the workers receive their full share of the benefits of that duty. In other words, there is no warrant for protection unless a legitimate share of the benefits gets into the pay envelope of the wage-worker."

Does not this statement exactly define the idea of a "competitive tariff," just now advanced by Woodrow Wilson? Yet when Roosevelt took this position he was charged by the Democrats, including Woodrow Wilson, with having attempted to "dodge" the tariff question. Does the fact that Wilson has now accepted the Roosevelt doctrine mean that Wilson, too, is now attempting to "dodge" the issue? Or does it merely mean that he concedes the logic of Roosevelt's position?

If the Democratic party as a whole accepts Wilson's latest stand on the tariff, it will have accepted the position of the Progressive party on one of the two issues which, according to the Democrats, were the two leading issues of the campaign. All that is lacking, to make the Wilson tariff position identical with the Progressive idea, to accept the theory, is that revision should be made, not hit or miss, by congressional log-rolling, but scientifically, after investigation by a non-partisan tariff commission, reporting its findings to congress. Undoubtedly Mr. Wilson will not need much experience with congress as a tariff-making body before accepting this plank in the Progressive party also, in addition to the "competitive tariff."

## THEY WON'T BE MISSED

IN a series of articles in Collier's Honore Willie has bemoaned the fact that the American race is dying out, due to the refusal of American men and women to bear children to compete with the children of the foreigners who are flocking to this country.

The facts are not quite as bad as pic-

tured, perhaps, in the west race suicide is not as prevalent as it is in New England. And, where race suicide is practiced by Americans, it is a sign that the race ought to die out. It is the selfishness of modern men and women that is responsible for the scarcity of children in some families. Children cost money. Their rearing takes from the money that otherwise the mother and father might spend on their own personal pleasure.

Is a race worth preserving that is so selfish that it refuses to bear children just because it does so involves sacrifice? Or because it fears those children will have to sell their hands competing with "foreigners"? Is it not better that such a race should die out, rather than bring forth children educated in their ways, subordinating everything to their selfish pleasures, afraid of the strife and turmoil and sweat of real life?

The best that is in American life will not die out for the best is the American family, and this will be reproduced by those who cherish the old ideas. As to the race suicide Americans, the world will lose nothing but some of its selfishness when they are gone.

## THE TRAGEDY OF THE SECTS

AT the federal council of church, now in session in Chicago, the story was told of a little town in Indiana, with a population of 261, which is endeavoring to support three churches, on a total membership of only 20. There are 48 other professed Christians in the village, but they are all members of other denominations than those represented, and so do not affiliate with either of the three existing congregations.

Could anything be more eloquent of the need for that religious unity that Bishop Brent, through the world conference on faith and order, is endeavoring to bring about? Denominational difference can never be eliminated, men can never be brought to think entirely alike, but at least the differences can be subordinated, and all Christians can work together on those broad lines on which they all agree, and which, after all, are of supreme importance.

And this working unity must be brought about, if the tragedy of that Indiana village is ever to be ended. For the pitiful impotence of the church, as illustrated there, is repeated over and over again in countless towns and cities.

## EQUALIZE THE BURDEN

WHY asks the New York Tribune, should incomes under \$5,000 be exempted in the proposed income tax? Because men with incomes under that figure pay a tax upon practically everything they buy. Their food, their clothing, their land, their business, is all taxed. On the other hand, men with incomes above that figure save much of their money, or spend it merely for pleasure. In either case, they pay no tax on the income. Therefore it is fitting that small incomes should be exempt from the income tax, while large incomes, now mostly untaxed, should bear the burden.

## ABOUT GONE

AFTER March 4, next, the commerce court will cease to exist. The present congress will refuse to continue its appropriation. And after March 4, next, there will be no one in official life, not even William H. Taft, to drop a tear upon the grave of this worse than useless legal body.

## OPEN PARLIAMENT

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### STREET CAR PASSES.

To the Editor of The Gazette:  
I noticed an item in Friday's Gazette that a persistent rumor that the Colorado Springs & Interurban Railway company would pass passes January 1, in accordance with the policy adopted by the steam roads of Colorado, was denied yesterday at the office of the company, which doubtless brought joy to the hearts of the many who are dissatisfied who receive such favors from the company. The item further goes on to state such changes are made by the Stratton trustees, who have discussed it, but arrived at no plans.

An inquiring mind naturally wonders whether they are waiting until the action of some grand jury or other equally effective action compels them to change as suggested. "In accordance with the policy adopted by the steam roads of Colorado," how long will it take suffering public have been compelled to wait for a change of policy to be adopted by the steam roads had not a federal grand jury at Pueblo returned indictments against one or more of said steam roads? Can you guess?

But should a public carrier be thus forced to treat all classes alike? Why should a citizen or class of citizens be forced to resort to law to compel a public corporation engaged in serving the whole public to cease discriminating against an overwhelming majority and favoring a very small minority of the aforesaid public? To make it plain, why should a citizen fortunate enough to secure an official position, paying him up in the thousands per year, ride on a pass while the poor washerwoman who earns 20 cents per hour pay 6 cents every time she rides on the street car? Each occupies the same space in the car. Why the discrimination?

Reformers can lead their heads off to be just only by the argument that it is the custom, or it is a compliment. I grant in part, it has been the custom for so long a time the memory of the present generation runs not to the contrary, for the

arrogant corporations to oppress the poor and to compliment or favor the rich and fortunate.  
To carry it still a little further it may occur in the life of the same individual that in private life he may be financially straitened and barely able to do so, but let him be fortunate enough to be elected to a public office with a fat salary and prestige, change—straightaway he receives as a "compliment" of course, free transportation. He fails his conscience and argues in intention to influence him is intended. In fact, he could not be influenced by such favor; that the corporation has only discovered he is a great man and wishes to honor him with a pass.

But enough of this preachment.  
The so-called reasons advanced for the giving of passes by the giver and by the recipient for using them are the veriest rot.

How long, O Stratton trustees, will you discuss and deliberate as to whether you will adopt or wait to be forced to adopt the anti-pass system as the steam roads have done?

My homily is already too long and too much of a repetition of what we have heard for years and years, so I will state what I had in mind before entering to write this letter—a plan to suggest which I believe would be just. Without apology to the trustees of the Myron Stratton home, but solely in the interest of the public, eliminating all sentiment, here it is:

1. Sell all street car passes.
2. Issue no more, unless to actual bona fide employees or their families.
3. Sell six tickets for 25 cents, 12 tickets for 50 cents and 25 tickets for \$1, and let them be sold on the cars by conductors.
4. If half the harsh things lately said regarding the abuse of giving passes be true, the course suggested by me will result in the company earning more money, the public, being one and all treated fairly, and the poor whom the late Mr. Stratton intended to provide for with his bootless wealth have at least an even break with the rich who are controlling and interested in the management of his estate.

Colorado Springs, Dec. 8.

### ELECTRIC ENGINES.

To the Editor of The Gazette:  
While advocating a union depot for Colorado Springs, and while the U. & R. Co. people are electrifying a part of their road, a suggestion that all trains be pulled into the city by electric engines is being considered, thereby doing away with the smoke and the swiftness are established outside city limits, the noise that taxpayer complains of in Sunday's Gazette.

ANOTHER TAXPAYER  
Colorado Springs, Dec. 8.



### THE RED CARUSO

From the Pittsburgh Dispatch.  
Those music-loving patriots who have been bemoaning the necessity of taking their grand opera in a foreign tongue and singing for a genuine American school and choir have had a general recent essays by American composers to fill the bill, and every one of them has chosen an Italian topic or one in which the aborigines have figured. News from Berlin and Vienna suggests that the Americanization of the music drama may be carried yet further. The critics in those centers of culture are reported to be acclaiming Carlisle Kowalewsky, a full-blooded graduate of Carlisle and son and heir of the chief of his tribe, as the latest star of the operatic horizon. One enthusiast has already dubbed him "The Red Caruso." He is 6 feet tall, 26 years of age, a graduate of the Yale school of medicine, and had sung in vaudeville before appearing in grand opera in Berlin and Vienna. He is declared to possess a tenor voice of the richest quality.

American singers have before now won their way to stellar roles in those cities, but none so American as Kowalewsky. One of the folk have demonstrated their prowess on the grandstand and diamond, why not on the stage? A sphere of usefulness they can be induced to take should be welcomed. Consider what a find it will be for Composers, Carlin, Herbert and Noyla to have a real Indian sing their operas. Who can then doubt that real American grand opera has arrived?

## To Spank or Not to Spank

By RUTH CAMERON.

Dear Friend: Please give your opinion on the subject of why mothers should spank their children or should not. My opinion is that they should when needed. Also at what age?

The above terse little note was signed by a "Miss." Somehow I imagine her a stern young aunt, who looks with disfavor upon the way her married sister "spares the rod and spoils the child."

Seriously, the little note opens up two subjects upon which I have often thought. First, is corporal punishment good for children? Second, at what age should discipline begin?

It's quite a while, isn't it, since I have had a symposium of my reader friends' views on any subject. How is this for a chance to start the ball rolling again? There are some children who are likely to have very decided opinions. Let's have them. Mothers and mothers of twelve, fathers, and even old bachelors who have ideas on this subject, are urged to contribute their theories and experience.

To start the discussion, here are a few of my humble opinions.  
As to whether corporal punishment is advisable or not, it seems to me the only answer to that is—yes. There are some children who can be managed without corporal punishment, and some children who simply cannot. It is a matter for study.

I don't think corporal punishment is such a terrible thing as some people consider it. To me it is infinitely better than some other forms of discipline such as frightening or threatening a child. I don't believe in spanking. I think the average mother's spanking simply makes a child mad and doesn't hurt it very much. A switch is both better and easier. If you are going to make pain the punishment of misdeeds, be sure you really inflict pain.

Never punish a child when you are angry. That's too much like revenge. Make him realize that the whipping is a consequence of his misdeeds, not your way of venting yourself for the trouble he has caused you.

The word consequence reminds me that the very best punishments in my mind, are those which fit the sin. A mischievous little boy had a trick of putting his baby sister's hair. Spanking did no good. One day his mother finished him by pulling his hair; that eventually cured him.

The age at which discipline should begin is a vital question. I know a mother who thinks it is very strange that she cannot control her child despite repeated punishment. She forgets that up to the time he was two years old she made no attempt at discipline, and that during that time, his naturally strong will gained tremendous headway. It seems to me that as soon as a child is old enough to throw his arms down for the pleasure of being obeyed, his mother should begin to discipline him. I grant in part, it has been the custom for so long a time the memory of the present generation runs not to the contrary, for the

## Ponderous Personages

JAMES A. GARFIELD

By GEORGE FITCH.  
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"

James Abram Garfield was a young man who had a magnificent start as a canal pilot and could have risen to the top of the profession, but who ruined his chances in this line by quitting work and going to college.

Many of the oldest canal men on the old Ohio canal look in the late forties pined with young Garfield to stick to his work and rise until he had a canal boat of his own and could smoke all day on the after deck, but he was headstrong and would not do so. Instead he went to college and joined a Greek letter society, raised whiskers and helped duck freshmen in the president's horse trough.



Joined a fraternity, raised whiskers and helped duck freshmen in the president's horse trough.

ident's horse trough. This affected his mind so that he became president of a college himself for a short time. But his frivolous nature made him resign once more, just as things were coming his way, and became a lawyer.

No sooner had young Garfield done this than he cut himself elected to the Ohio senate, thus ending a career which had almost decided to remain him. And he had no sooner become a power in the senate than he threw away his chances once more and went south as lieutenant colonel of an Ohio regiment in the Civil war.

Young Garfield had now frittered away his life until he was 32 years old and everybody said it was a pity that he had no stability, having given up five good chances in ten years. But he persisted in his course and no sooner had he become a major-general than he resigned once more and went to congress.

This was a fine opening for Garfield and he stuck to his job until 1880 against the express wishes of many Democratic candidates in his district. In 1880 he became United States senator and all would have been well had he not gone to the Chicago convention to help nominate Sherman for president and accidentally gotten nominated himself. He was elected president that fall and was just getting settled in the office the next July when he was shot by a more than ordinarily offensive office seeker and died the following September.

Garfield was not quite fifty when he died and had bright prospects. In spite of his brief career, he could have made a good success in any one of his ventures if he had not been so restless. Restlessness has spoiled many fine farmers, lawyers and soldiers by making presidents out of them.

## BIGGEST ROOM IN THE WORLD

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W. Seamus Richardson in Burlington. In the modern fervor are to be found practically all the attendant conveniences of travel, not only the familiar ticket office, baggage room, telephone and telegraph offices, news stands, restaurant and barber shop, but shops in which can be purchased drugs, books and many of the other necessities of life. In the Pennsylvania station, in New York city, the main floor entrance is in the center of the Seventh avenue, in opposite Thirty-second street, and consists of an auditorium of some 1,000 seats, similar in plan and idea to the famous grand scale and Naples, Italy, where can be purchased practically everything from a box of candy to a Persian rug. This arcade is also interesting as being one of the means by which the public is unconsciously led to the lower levels with as few steps as practicable, for not only the floor slopes, but the walls and cornices as well, thus not being a right angle in the entire structure. The general waiting-room of this great station is worthy of mention, it being probably the largest and most monumental single room in the world today. It is 315 feet in length, 105 feet wide and 150 feet high, comparable in dimensions to the nave of St. Peter's cathedral, in Rome, and about 15 feet wide at corners as well as in the middle. It was adopted for the first time by any trunk line in the country, a high platform level with the floor of the cars. This platform is frequent in continental Europe, and practically universal in England, and it is of particular advantage in a station with tracks below are thereby eliminated and the rapid handling of large crowds is greatly facilitated.

PEARLS MORE PRECIOUS  
From the London Standard.

The announcement that, owing to the lack of success attending pearl-fishing this year, the Geneva jewellers will advance prices 25 per cent in the autumn will come as welcome news to owners of pearls and those who invest in pearls as a gilt-edge security.

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A Chinese cook and a Japanese waiter served Father Valentin at an Alaska dinner with caribou steak, moose tenderloin, leg of mountain sheep, grouse, wild duck salmon, and baked trout. After that had been eaten, things he decided the United States drove a good bargain when it purchased Alaska for \$7,000,000.

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The street lamps were said to be in a deplorable condition, several of them being without glass and others having the burners so choked they would hardly burn. The city was lighted with gas lamps at this time.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

December 9, 1892.

The Winter Night college held its

first session in the Sunday school

rooms of the First Presbyterian church.

This college was an organization for

the study of literature which had been

formed by the Rev. L. L. Taylor.

S. M. Buzzard came in from his

ranch east of the city and reported

that the sheep were coming through

the winter very nicely. On account of

the destruction of the ranges there

were not over one-third the number of

sheep in El Paso county that there

had been ten years ago.

The laying of the water mains in the

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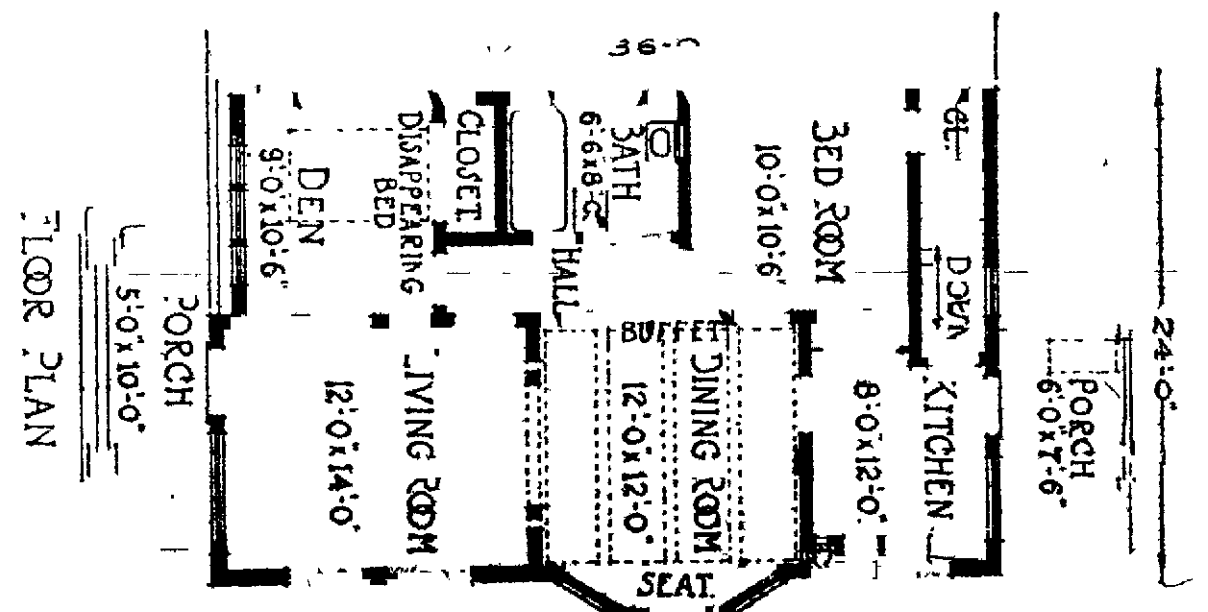
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## RITCHIE, FRISCO'S FIRST CHAMP, IS GOOD WINNER

By W. W. NAUGHTON  
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—San Francisco has a world champion and he is very proud of him. He is the first champion this city has had since Jim Corbett downed John L. Sullivan. He is the first lightweight champion we have ever had although we have made more than a bid for the honor.

It is cause for general regret that a title came to Ritchie through a foul. Still as Spider Kelly, one of the best of sluggers, says: "It might have been worse."

Says a friend of Ritchie: "He had been slowly but surely dethroned. Ritchie down and the foul alleged foul occurred when a Volast victory was inevitable. Think of it. Ritchie would have been said on as it was Volast was staggering around flailing his arms about a longshot after having his head turned in his head by a smash at just him to the floor and dazed in complete. Three parts of the crowd believed that Volast would liberally to escape the disgrace of a knockout and the remainder gave him the benefit of the doubt and said his brain was cloudy and he could not see where he was hitting. Few will give that Volast was not a beaten man at the time anyhow so that by all or by fault the title went where belonged."

### Bad Ring Manners

It is very evident there would have been no sympathy for Volast if he had not displayed such bad ring manners during the fight. He consisted so unfavorably with the other fighters that one of the ring-side witnesses said: "The man Arrogant Ad and Volast Willie."

Ritchie told afterwards that Volast had him under names and used in contempt language in every round. But a abuse was confined to horse disperse and the crowd heard it not. Volast began to talk for publication in the testing spell between the sixth and seventh round. It was in the sixth round that Ritchie began to talk himself in terms in accordance with instructions from his manager. Volast in common with many others, thought that Ritchie's condition was giving out.

### Ad Was Confident

"Watch me this next round," yelled Arrogant Ad to the seconds who were drinking, sponging and tending to him. "I'll jab him to pieces."

Volast talked so that he could be heard half way to the main doors and was believed he intended his remarks to be far-reaching. He was ably supported by Manager Jones who stood behind his chair and clapped his hands together like a race track layer of odds who is trying to stimulate business and shouted: "Come come finish him up and let us get out of this."

Volast managed to land an inching nose with an overhead punch the round that followed and as the crowd crept down over Ritchie's lips Volast sneered: "What's the use of boxing punches with your nose? It is said that all is fair in love, war and politics and no doubt Volast felt at he was perfectly entitled to adopt the method of a nose business. But Ritchie received the signal from the corner to tear loose again and then after pulling even with Volast the tenth round he kept right along and beat Volast to the floor in the twelfth, those close to the ring remembered Volast's humiliatedness of being and boister and withheld their condolences.

After the fight it was still a case of Arrogant Ad and Volast Willie. Volast in a signed statement to the press said that Ritchie was not by any means the fighter his friends considered him and that a return match would show that Ad Volast was still the best 133-pounder living.

Ritchie concluded his mild statement with the words:

"Poor Ad. I am sorry for he was a good honest fighter."

It is a remarkable thing that Ritchie who is so new to the game that his name does not appear in the 1912 record books should now be the world's lightweight champion. It is also remarkable how the lifelines of Ritchie and Volast have crossed and recrossed.

### Was Loser's Understudy

Ritchie secured his first lost in the ladder of fame when at a few hours notice he went to Los Angeles last Thanksgiving and acted as understudy for Volast in a bout with Freddie Welsh. That was when Volast was taken down with appendicitis. Then on the anniversary of the day in question Ritchie relieved Volast of his championship laurels.

How long a tenure of the championship title is in store for Ritchie remains to be seen but on thing is certain: the title is in good hands. No better gentleman than Ritchie exists in any walk of life. He is courteous and intelligent at any time and is none of the earmarks of the genus pug.

From the first time he has seen Volast box he had been obsessed with the idea he could be at the Michigan wildcat.

Mind you I don't claim that I am the best lightweight in the world, explained Ritchie. "For all I know there are any number of boys better than I am. There are quite a number that I would not say offhand I can defeat. But I believe—I am confident in fact—I can conquer Volast and I am going after him to the exclusion of all others. I am willing to wait till the chance comes and when the match is made I will bet my little accumulation—the amount is not very large—on my chances."

Willie has been patient and steadfast and has proved the truth of his claims.

## SIX DAY BIKE RACE STARTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Fifteen teams started at one minute after midnight this morning in the twentieth annual six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden.

The riders set out in an even and pretty speedy gallop at the end of the first mile with bunches of five, ten, fifteen and twenty men. Berthel and Broes made a pace. The time for the mile was 7:11.

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PLANS TO WIN BACK FORTUNE

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### SWING CURTAINS ON MOTOR DOORS LATEST

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President Ben Johnson in an interview in Kansas City is quoted as saying that Frank Johnson might take the title away from the Highlanders if he can get away from Gary Herrmann and President Johnson asked all over again for a chance before he can get out of the National League.

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I contribute eighty-five per cent of all the labor in the slaughtering and meat-packing industries.  
I do seven-tenths of the bituminous coal mining.  
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I contribute nine-tenths of all the labor in the cotton mills.  
I make nineteen-twentieths of all the clothing.  
I manufacture more than half the shoes.  
I build four-fifths of all the furniture.  
I make half of the collars, cuffs and shirts.  
I turn out four-fifths of all the leather.  
I make half the gloves.  
I refine nearly nineteen-twentieths of the sugar.  
I make half of the tobacco and cigars.  
And yet, I am the great American problem.  
When I pour out my blood on your altar of labor, and lay down my life as a sacrifice to your god of toil, men make no more comment than at the fall of a sparrow.  
But my brawn is woven into the warp and woof of the fabric of your national being.  
My children shall be your children and your land shall be my land because my sweat and my blood will cement the foundations of the America of Tomorrow.  
If I can be fused into the body politic the melting pot will have stood the supreme test.  
I will let another tell the whole story of my coming and the problem of my being here.  
It will be told by Frederic J. Haskin.  
The first article will appear in this paper Tuesday, December 10.  
Save them all.











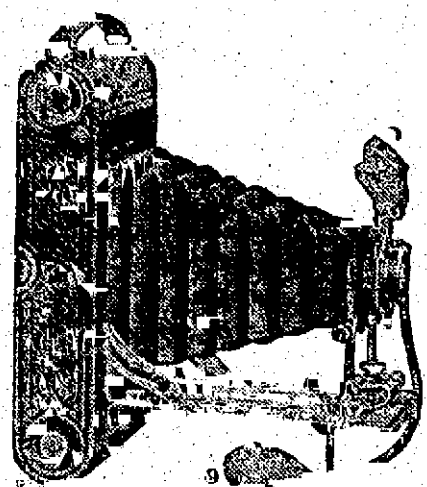
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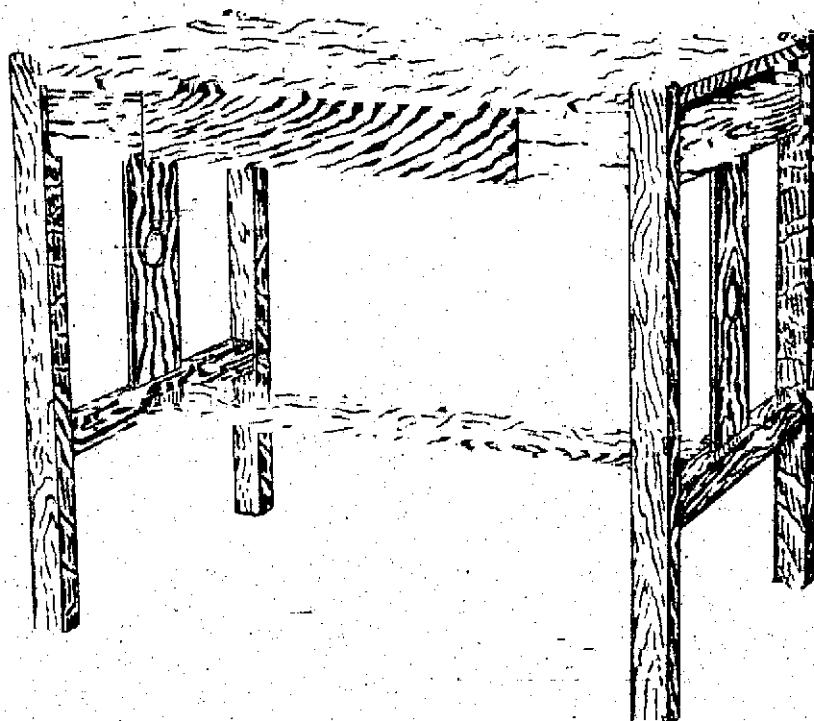
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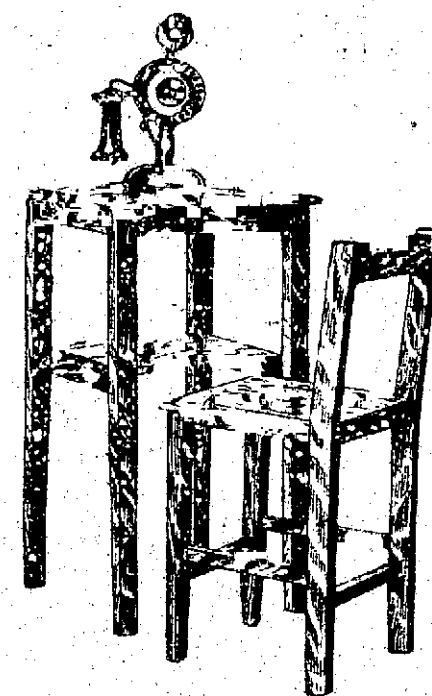
## Christmas Gifts

### Furniture Pieces Suitable for Gifts

In addition to the exceptionally good specials for this week we are showing many handsome articles suitable for gifts, such as toilet tables, desks, music cabinets, chairs, tables, davenport, smokers' stands, etc., etc.; all make useful gifts.

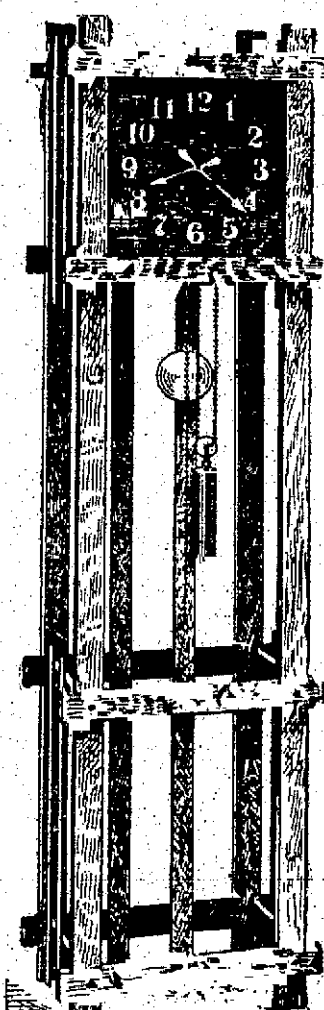


Library table, solid oak, fumed finish, large drawer and good construction. Special.....\$5.85



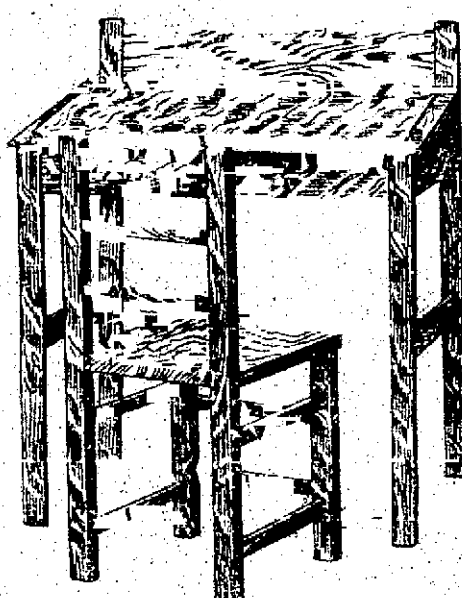
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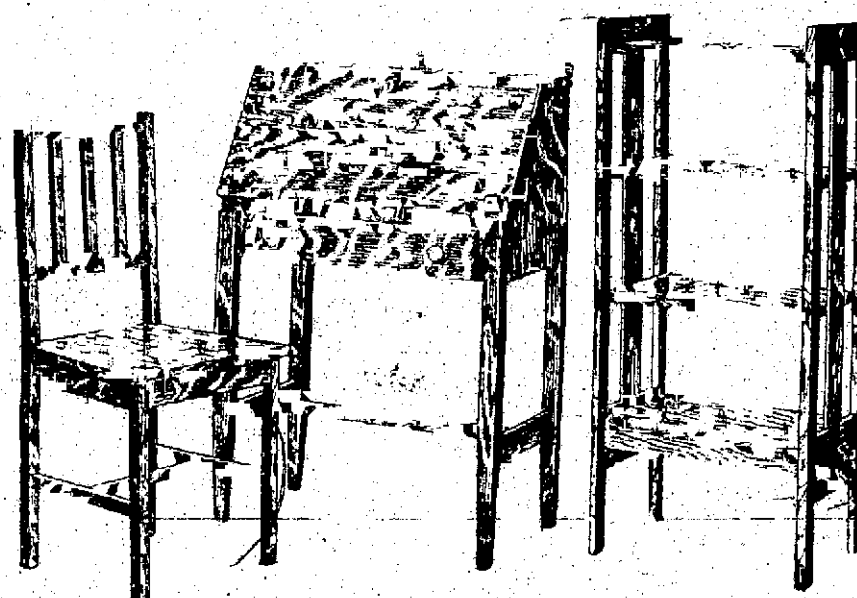


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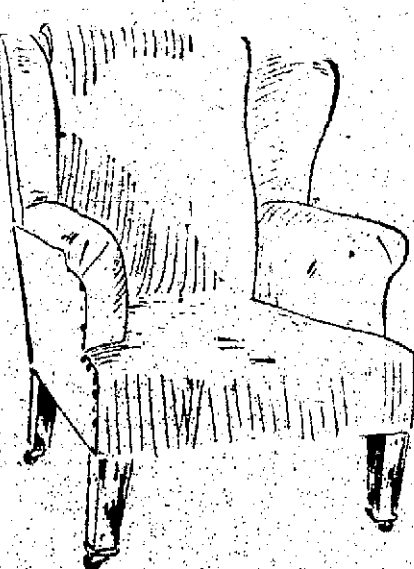
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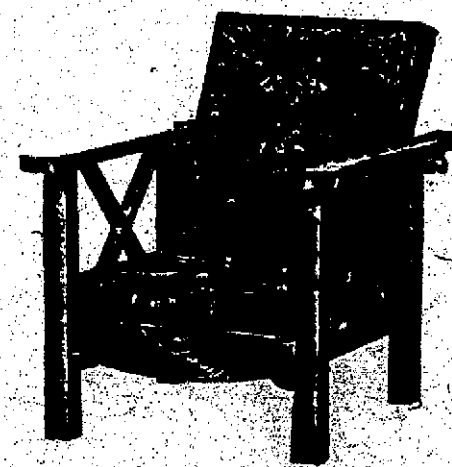
Solid oak set, consisting of one ladies' desk, one desk chair and one magazine rack, fumed oak finish; quantity limited. Set, complete.....\$9.85



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T. Lombard and Mrs. Edith A. Wood. The capitalization is \$10,000, and the firm conducts a retail drug business at 600 East Pike's Peak avenue.

BIRTH—A daughter was born yesterday morning at Bethel hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson of Ordway, Colo.

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